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DEVICE AND METHOD FOR  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
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This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed November 18, 2003, the term for response to which expires on February 18, 2003.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-10 are canceled; claim 11 is amended; and claims 12 and 13 are maintained.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.